**Doordarshan Studios**

3070. SHRI KALPNATH RAI: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of studios set up so far for production of Doordarshan programmes; and

(b) what are the details of plans, if any, drawn up for more studios, and at what places?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI AJIT PANJA): (a) At present, there are 17 Programme Production Centres of Doordarshan in the country.

(b) With the implementation of the VII Plan schemes, the number of Programme Production Centres will increase to 48 as given in the enclosed Statement.

**Statement**

*Location of Programme Production Centres of Doordarshan on Implementation of VII Plan Schemes*

| S.No. | Name of State/ Union Territory | Location | Remarks |
|---|---|---|---|
| | *STATE* | | |
| 1. | Andhra Pradesh | 1. Hyderabad | Exisiting |
| | | 2. Vijayawada | |
| 2. | Assam | 1. Guwahati | Existing |
| | | 2. Dibrugarh | |
| | | 3. Silchar | |
| 3. | Bihar | 1. Patna | Existing |
| | | 2. Ranchi | |
| | | 3. Daltonganj | |
| | | 4. Muzaffarpur | |
| 4. | Gujarat | 1. Ahmedabad<br>2. Rajkot | Existing |
| 5. | Haryana | Captial of Haryana | |
| 6. | Himachal Pradesh | Shimla | |
| 7. | Jammu & Kashmir | 1. Srinagar | Existing |
| | | 2. Jammu | |
| 8. | Karnataka | 1. Bangalore | Existing |
| | | 2. Gulbarga | |
| 9. | Kerala | Trivandrum | Existing |
| 10. | Madhya Pradesh | 1. Bhopal | |
| | | 2. Raipur | |
| 11. | Maharashtra | 1. Bombay | Existing |
| | | 2. Pune | |
| | | 3. Nagpur | Existing |

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|---|---|---|---|
| 12. | Manipur | Imphal | Existing |
| 13. | Meghalaya | 1. Shillong<br>2. Tura | |
| 14. | Orissa | 1. Bhubaneshwar<br>2. Cuttack | Existing |
| 15. | Punjab | Jalandhar | Existing |
| 16. | Rajasthan | Jaipur | |
| 17. | Sikkim | Gangtok | |
| 18. | Tamilnadu | 1. Madras<br>2. Madurai | Existing |
| 19. | Tripura | Agartala | |
| 20. | Uttar Pradesh | 1. Lucknow<br>2. Allahabad | Existing |
| 21. | West Bengal | 1. Calcuta<br>2. Siliguri | Existing |
| 22. | Nagaland | Kohima | |
| | *UNION TERRITORY* | | |
| 23. | Andaman & Nicobar Islands | Port Blair | |
| 24. | Arunachal Pradesh | Itanagar | |
| 25. | Chandigarh | Chandigarh | |
| 26. | Delhi | Delhi | Exissting. There are two programme production centres at Delhi; (i) Doordarshan Kendra, Delhi and (ii) Upgarh Doordarshan Kendra, Delhi. The Upgarh Doordarshan Kendra will be shifted from Delhi to Jaipur when the studio at Jaipur is completed. |
| 27. | Goa, Daman & Diu | Panaji | |
| 28. | Mizoram | Aizawl | |
| 29. | Pondicherry | Pondicherry | |